

Rochester Numismatic Association Meeting Minutes



1951 - 1952

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Curator: Floyd B. Newell

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National Coin Week	Howard Osterman
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Edward F. Meinhart	Mrs. Meinhart
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Museum of Arts and Sciences

Rochester, N. Y.

Official Membership List 1951-1952

Based on the records of the Treasurer in 1951-1952

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319 Crosman Terr.
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Mon. 2047-Res.
Ham. 5575-Bus.

10. Barney Bloom
120 Rosalind St.
Rochester 19, N.Y.
Glen. 4990-W

11. J. Cohen
104 Belmont St.
Rochester 20, N.Y.
Mon. 1900-M-Res.
Bek. 7670-Bus.

12. W. A. Elston, Sr.
R.D. Pittsford, N.Y.

13. E. F. Meinhart
235 Mt. Vernon Ave.
Rochester 20, N.Y.
Mon. 5516-W

14. F. B. Newell
94 Monroe Pkwy.
Rochester 18, N.Y.
Hill. 2754-J-Res.
Gen. 4800-Bus.

15. Dr. F. L. Cady
250 Dartmouth St.
Rochester 7, N.Y.
Mon. 0088

16. H. G. Aldridge
1290 University Ave.
Rochester 7, N.Y.

17. Wm. M. Hutchinson
49 Rowley St.
Rochester 7, N.Y.

18. C. W. Foster
850 East Lake Rd.
Rushville, N.Y.

19. V. W. Judson
213 Wimbledon Rd.
Rochester 17, N.Y.
Glen. 6856-J

20. A. J. Pittenger
57 Rialto St.
Rochester 21, N.Y.
Lo. 8161

21. F. E. Eichorn
160 Rosedale St.
Rochester 20, N.Y.
Mon. 7932-J-Res.
Ham. 6640-Bus.

1. S. C. Place
67 Southview Terr.
Rochester 20, N.Y.
Mon. 3827-R

23. H. W. Plumb
118 Charlton Rd.
Rochester 17, N.Y.
Char. 2635-R

24. W. A. Elston, Jr.
75 Willowbrook Rd.
Rochester 16, N.Y.

25. J. J. Pittman
4 Acton St.
Rochester 13, N.Y.
Glen. 3310-Bus.

26. L. D. Richards
1013 Penfield Rd.
Rochester 10, N.Y.
Hill. 2264-M

27. E. H. Potter
43 So. Washington St.
Rochester 8, N.Y.

28. J. A. Kirby
2 Highland Park
Batavia, N.Y.

29. H. Susman
2 Ave. A West
Rochester 21, N.Y.

30. C. F. Starr
64 Oak Lane
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Hill. 1607-M

31. A. B. Judd
331 Plymouth Ave., So.
Rochester 8, N.Y.
Lo. 6345

32. J. I. McGowan
139 Ravenwood Ave.
Rochester 19, N.Y.
Gen. 0152-Res.
Bak. 0059-Bus.

33. Mrs. S. G. Thayer
710 Latta Rd.
Rochester 12, N.Y.
Char. 1412-R

34. C. Bauer
47 Westchester Ave.
Rochester 9, N.Y.
Cul. 0720-R

35. W. R. Shaver
469 Culver Pkwy.
Rochester 9, N.Y.
Cul. 4445-M

36. K. E. VerDow
Avon, N.Y.

37. Mrs. H. F. Osterman
363 Lake Ave.
Rochester 6, N.Y.

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363 Lake Ave.
Rochester 6, N.Y.

39. A. M. Dean
Caledonia, N.Y.

40. H. S. Thomas
1599 Highland Ave.
Rochester 18, N.Y.
Mon. 2864-Res.
Bak. 4122-Bus.

41. R. L. Gentner
563 Garson Ave.
Rochester 9, N.Y.
Cul. 0445-W

42. M. A. Powills
9645 So. Leavitt St.
Chicago 43, Ill.

43. N. F. Prince
31 Lux Street
Rochester 21, N.Y.
Ham. 5117

44. C. L. Armstrong
Caledonia, N.Y.

45. A. Palmer
Caledonia, N.Y.

46. C. Ricard
52 Gregory St.
Rochester 20, N.Y.
Mon. 4054-J

47. F. Nevin
Penfield-Rochester Rd.
Box 237
Penfield, N.Y.

48. H. W. VandenBrul
50 Brentwood St.
Rochester 10, N.Y.
Lo. 5625-Bus.

49. Dr. J. M. MacMillan
44 Lincoln Ave.
Pittsford, N.Y.
Hill. 1725
Mon. 3800-Office

50. J. A. Datz
140 Pontiac Dr.
Rochester 17, N.Y.
Char. 2551-W

51. W. T. A. Durand
1066 Monroe Ave.
Rochester 20, N.Y.
Mon. 1291-J

52. H. R. Dutcher, Jr.
1295 Lake Ave.
Rochester 13, N.Y.
Glen. 1055-W
Ham. 8338-Bus.

53. John Harris
162 Melville St.
Rochester 9, N.Y.
Cul. 1038-R

54. E. J. Howard
43 Merriman St.
Rochester 7, N.Y.
Mon. 3237-W

55. R. D. Laufer
98 Collingwood Dr.
Rochester 21, N.Y.
Glen. 4558-R

56. R. G. Rice
241 Mt. Vernon Ave.
Rochester 20, N.Y.
Mon. 5516-R

57. E. J. Cox
199 Hedgegarth Dr.
Rochester 17, N.Y.
Char. 2852-J

58. Arthur A. Lohwater
4223 Lake Ave.
Rochester 12, N.Y.
Char. 0106

59. W. R. Moyes
54 Richmond St.
Rochester 7, N.Y.
Bak. 7528

60. Wm. Henry Peck
1349 Dewey Ave.
Rochester 13, N.Y.
Glen. 1952-W

Frank J. Fantanza
625 Scio Street
Rochester 5, N.Y.
Ran. 4271

62. Edward A. Gilroy
Wayland, N.Y.

63. J. F. O'Brien
5 N. Goodman St.
Rochester 7, N.Y.
Mon. 0560

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION, Rochester, New York

Meets first and third Tuesdays at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences, July and August on third Tuesdays.
Arnold B. Judd, Secretary, 321 Plymouth Ave., So., Rochester 8, N.Y.

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Dr. J. M. MacMillan

Curator

F. B. Newell

Executive Committee Meeting August 24th 1951.

It was suggested that-

We issue one post card per month carrying both notices.

Of the two meetings one be social and one be educational.

We reverse our meetings- have the business meeting at the tail end of our meetings. (Mr. McGowan)

We do away with membership announcements on notice cards pertaining to new members. All announcements to be made at meetings.

Due to fixed expenses, and using the original outline as a guide, we find no immediate necessity to reappoint the Budget Committee. Any unusual expenses to be met by subscription, rather than by using the Club's funds.

A suggestion was made that we have a bourse case at each meeting and allow members to buy and sell coins that they do not care to put into the regular auction, because of possible financial loss, and the club would benefit to the extent of commissions paid at auctions.

Sept. 4, 1951

The 870th meeting of the R. N. A. was called to order at 8:25 P. M. on Tuesday Sept. 4th. by Pres. Norman F. Prince. There were 22 members and 4 visitors present. Minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved as read. Accumulated correspondence was read and disposed of. The bill for rental of the Rochester Museum Association was put off until our next meeting due to failure of the Audit Committee to audit the books of the treasurer.

Committee Reports.

Hobby Council J. J. Pittman No Report

Librarian Dr. John MacMillan " "

Curator Floyd Newell Absent

Membership C. F. Starr The application of Frank J. Fantanza was received and was eligible to be voted on.

Sickness John Sloane Arnold Pittenger was much improved and would soon be at home.

Program Chair. James McGowan Asked for members to co-operate in the arrangements of programs. When you are asked to talk please set some date for your program. We all have our pet subject, why not talk about yours?

The Pres. spoke in favor of the findings of the Executive Committee Meeting. These proposals were presented in order to speed up our meetings and to allow more time for the members to indulge in personal contact, and the general field of Numismatics.

One of the proposals was that we send only one post card a month in order to cut down the general expenditure of the secretary. This was partly due to the proposal of the Postal Dept. to increase their rates. This motion was voted on, and passed, 9 to 6.

In order that we have a membership list, and publish it as so, Charles W. Foster made a motion, and it was seconded, That the "Deadline date for the publication of the 1951-1952 Membership list is

the first meeting in November. If you have'nt paid your dues by this date, your name will not be published in the Membership list".

The President announced that the profit of the White Elephant sale held at our picnic after all bills were paid was \$20.00. Too bad more of our members did'nt attend this annual function as a good time was had by all those present.

The application for membership of Frank J. Fantanza, when being put before the members for their consideration and vote, resulted in a unanimous vote of approval. Congratulations Frank!

Old Business None

New " "

Exhibits.

Geo. J. Bauer-Double thick Shau-stick of Maximilian, 1486-1515.

Maximilian double thaler Shau-stick dated 1515.

1669 Broad square Thaler on confirmation of John George IV th.

2 Crowns of Mansfelt.

Schwartzenberg-Broad crown. Jugate busts of Ferdinand and Maria Anna.

W. T. A. Durand-South Carolina Railway Company, \$1.00 bill (Free Ticket) good to the passenger gor 25 miles.

John J. Pittman-1951 South African Proof set in case. 1951 Proof

Festival of Britain Crown. 1950 Mexico Railroad Comm.

5 Peso Uncir. 1855 Kellog Co. \$50.00 in Copper Proof.

1854 Kellog Co. \$20.00 gold Uncir. 1849 Miners Bank \$10.00 gold, ex. fine. 1826 Great Britain Two Pound Proof.

There being too much and too lengthy a discussion pro and con of the suggestions of the Executive Committee, there was not enough time left for a program of any sort, so the Pres. declared a 10 minute recess, after which the auction was held. John Pittman, acting as auctioneer sold the lots offered to the highest bidders ,and the club realized the sum of \$1.69 as a result of his efforts.

Respectfully submitted,

Arvin B. Judd

Secretary.

Sept. 18, 1951

The 871st meeting of the R. N. A. was called to order Tuesday Sept. 18th at 8:20 P. M. by Pres. Norman Prince. There were 24 members and 5 visitors present. Minutes of the preceding meeting was read and approved as read. Accumulated correspondence was read and disposed of. The bill for rental of the Museum was voted to be paid and the treasurer issued a check to the secretary to cover the amount.

Committee Reports.

Curator Floyd Newell No Report

Librarian Frank Eichorn turned in his report for the past year, and a motion was made by Barney Bloom and seconded that the report be accepted as read and placed on file.

Sickness Dr. MacMillan reported that Arnold Pittenger is doing very well and according to Alphonse Kolb, Arnold is out on the visit. Membership Henry R. Dutcher The application for membership in the R. N. A. of Edward A. Gilroy was read before the members for the first time.

Jr. Club Jim O'Brien stated that the Juniors were having their first meeting of the year on Fri. the 21st and cordially invited the senior members to attend.

The Pres. asked for a short recess to await the findings of the Auditors Committee. The Chairman of the Auditing Committee, Mr. Edw. Meinhart asked that the outgoing treasurer, Mr. L. D. Richards be allowed to read his report. Mr. Richards stated that the balance on hand was \$101.56 on June 30, 1951. This was a gain of \$22.13 over the previous year. Mr. Judson made a motion, and it was seconded that the treasurers report be accepted. Total amount now in the treasurey, \$196.20.

At this time the Pres. welcomed the visitors, asked them to visit us again, and reminded the members of the coming joint meeting of the Rochester & Buffalo clubs at Batavia on the 29th. Why don't more of our members attend this Numismatic Get together?

Old Business None.

New " Mr. Foster stated that the coming Conv. of the E.S.N.A.

would be held at the Hotel Syracuse in Syracuse N. Y. Oct. 20 & 21st Registration fee is \$1.50- Banquet fee is \$4.00. Room reservations may be made by writing directly to the Hotel.

Our Program chairman Mr. James MacGowan introduced the speaker of the evening Mr. Norman Prince, who chose as his subject "barbarous Radiates and the Sceats of early England." The program was an intensely interesting one, and the use of Kodachrome slides made it even more so. Barney Bloom made a motion that the speaker be given a vote of thanks for his research in the more or less obscure history of Early England. George Bauer gave a short spot talk on the town of Dahlonega, the site of our first Gold Mint. This also was well received and he too, was tendered a vote of thanks.

Exhibits.

James MacGowan-Proof and Mint Sets of 1950 in New Cotwell holder.

Charles Foster- Three copies of coins, showing three different methods of how coins are made: Dekadrachm of Syracuse, 1792 Washington Eagle Cent, 1652 New England Oak Tree Shilling.

Henry R. Dutcher Jr.- 1937 Canadian Coronation Set. 1904 Maundy Money, 1,2,3,4 Pence.

Norman F. Prince-Barbarous Radiates, Hilaratus, Pax, and Salus types. Anglo Saxon Sceats of Eanred, Ethilred, and Wigmund 806 to 854 A.D.

Byzantine- Gold Solidus of Justinian II and Alexis I. Brunswick- Bracteate (after 1195 A.D.) Sons of Henry the Lion. " Albrecht the Great, 1252-1276 A.D.

Howard Osterman-Poland 1949. 1&2 Groszy in Aluminum. 5 Groszy in Copper. 10, 20, 50, Groszy in nickel. 1Zlotvch in nickel.

George J. Bauer- Fifteen Tetradrachms of Aradus a powerfull city of Phoenitia, situated about 75 miles north of the present city of Beirut, Syria. The coins are from a find of 92 pieces purchased from a collector in Beirut in 1927 and represent an unusual series of Ancient dated coins, they are dated from 137 to 46 B.C. according to the Autonomus era beginning 259 B.C. The dates are in Punic letters while the mint ARADUS is in Greek. Altho issued for 90 years they all conform to the one design and by weight to the Attic standard. The obvers has bust of Tyche while on the reverse-standing figure of victory date and letters in field.

The auction followed a short recess and Charley Foster acting as auctioneer sold the rare and not so rare items to the highest bidders. At the end of the sale the club realized the sum of \$ as a result of Charley's efforts.

Respectfully submitted,

Arnold B. Judd
Secretary.

Slides made by Mr. Howard and were

Oct. 2, 1951

The 872nd meeting of the R.N.A. was called to order by Pres. Norman F. Prince Tuesday Oct. 2nd at 8:15 P.M. There were 23 members and 1 visitor present. Minutes of the preceding meeting read and approved as corrected. Accumulated correspondence read and disposed of. There were no bills.

Committee Reports.

Curator- Floyd Newell called attention to the display of Swedish plate money on exhibition in the cases in the meeting room.

Sickness- John Sloane called on Arnold Pittenger, nobody home.

Librarian, Hobby Council and Coin Week representatives- No Report.

Mr. Foster commented on the coming E.S.N.A. conv. in Syracuse.

Charley asked for the use of the R.N.A'S display cases and John Pittman made a motion ,and it was seconded, that he be allowed to use said cases.

Program Chairman James McGowan introduced the speaker of the evening Mr. Earl Potter whose subject was a "trip thru Florida," highlighted by a series of beautiful Kodachrome slides. Earl for the most part kept shy of the large cities, and visited the little known or out of the way places. In several of the smaller places he saw some real nice collections of coins in the Museums he visited. At the conclusion of his talk the speaker was given a round of thanks for his efforts. The Program Chair. announced that the speaker for the 2nd Oct. meeting would be Mr. George J. Bauer who would talk on Ancient Coins.

New Business- Mr. Floyd Newell made a motion that we buy a complete mint set of the 1950 coins from Wm. Elston Jr. Motion seconded by Barney Bloom.

Old Business-Our Pres. commented on the recent Batavia meeting of the Roch. & Buffalo Clubs. A good time was had by all those that attended and the dinner served was excellent. Roast pork was substituted at the last minute, as the host could not get Roast Beef. Messers Pittman, Bauer and DeBello cut their stay in New York one day short to be

with us at Batavia. Brother Bauer stated that Roast Beef sandwiches are selling for 4 Bucks a throw at the Roosevelt in New York. No wonder that Victor in Batavia had a hard time getting Beef. Stack's sale of Crowns brought high prices, most of the activity being on the floor. An auction was held after the dinner, some good coins were offered, and the prices were surprisingly low. New members were urged to attend these inter-city affairs, meet new collectors thereby establishing Numismatic contacts for the years ahead. Both clubs received \$1.05 as the result of the auction.

• Exhibits.

Edward A. Gilroy-Papal Crowns of Clemens X-1675 and Leo XIII-1825.

Crowns of Brunswick-Geo. Louis-1700, Nuremberg-1768 and Frankfurt-1772. 3 Gulden of Dutch East Indies 1786.

John Pittman-4,2,1 Real of Ferdinand and Isabella of Spain. 16 Silver Dollars of the U.S. 1795-1803. Silver Dollars of the Orleans Mint-1846, 50, 59, and 60. 5 Mint Dollars of 1859 and 1872.

Norman F. Prince-4 Silver Drachmas of Cappadocia 220 to 62 B.C. 6 Silver and Bronze Greek Coins, 200 B.C. to 717 A.D. 14 Roman Bronzes from Nero to Licinius I. 7 coins of Macedonia, 336 to 179 B.C. Greek coins of Sicyon, Phoenicia, " and Acarnia 229 to 100 B.C.

The Pres. declared a 20 minute recess after which the Auction was held. John Pittman acted as auctioneer. Many lots were offered, some brought good prices-others just changed hands. The club received \$4.76 in commissions as a result of the auctioneer's efforts.

Respectfully submitted,

Arnim B. Judd.
Arnim B. Judd, Secretary.

Oct. 16, 1951

The 873rd meeting of the R.N.A. was called to order at 8:25 P.M. Tuesday Oct. 16th by Pres. Norman F. Prince. There were 25 members and 1 visitor present. Minutes of the preceding meeting read and approved as read. There were no bills.

Committee Reports.

The Curator, Vice Pres., Librarian and Program Chairman were absent.

Hobby Council No Report.

Coin Week. Mr. Osterman read the appointments to the National Coin Week Committee.

Membership Mr. Starr read the application of Edward A. Gilroy for " in the R.N.A. Having complied with all the requirements, when being put to vote, Mr. Gilroy was unanimously elected to membership. 23 votes were cast.

Old Business None.

New " Messers Bauer and Foster spoke of their recent visit to the New England States Conv. Not much of a success according to the boys- as many dealers as collectors present, a monotonous auction taking up 4 hrs. of the time. Most of the activity was the inter-swapping of coins between dealers. Mr. Foster again urged the members to attend the E.S.N.A. Conv. which is being held in Syracuse. Herbert VandenBrul, when being congratulated on his recent wedding said we could also compliment him on another occasion. He passed his Bar examination, and would be sworn in on Nov. 14th.

Exhibits.

Norman F. Prince- U.S. Bar Cent, Genuine. U.S. 3 cent Nickels 1879-Proof 1888 Unc. France- Denier of Charles Le Chauve (Charles the Bald) 843 A.D. struck for Blois.

George J. Bauer- 3 Copies of Syracuse Decadrachms. 21 Staters of Corinth.

Mrs. Osterman- Poland Taler of Stanislaus Augustus 1766. Bust with "Order of the White Eagle" to right. Rev. Crowned Shield. Salzburg- Taler of Sigismund III, 1753-1771. Bust Right. Rev.- St. Rupert seated to right

Sax-Gotha- Taler off Johan Casimir and Johan Ernst 1618. Busts in armor face to face. Rev. Knight mounted to left within circle of Shields.

Taler of Wladislaus IV 1638. Crowned bust with orb to right. Rev. Angel with city shield.

Taler of Johan Casimir 1659, altered from 1650. Crowned bust right. Rev. Angel with city shield.

John J. Pittman- 30 Swedish Crowns 1642-1935, Ex. Fine to Uncir. Brazil 1897, 2000 Reis Uncir. Great Britain-1817, 3 Graces Crown in Silver- Wm. Wyon. Portuguese Africa-1796, 12 Macutas. Canada-1936 dot quarter, Brill Uncir.

At this time the Pres. introduced the speaker of the evening, Mr. George J. Bauer who spoke on the Dekadrachms and tetradrachms of Syracuse. Mr. Bauer's talk was highlited by a series of Plastic slides which put before the assembled members a comprehensive history of the early coins of Syracuse. At the completion of his talk, the speaker was given a rising vote of thanks for his presentation on Ancient Coins.

A recess was held, after which the members patronized the Bourse. This was the first time that a bourse was held allowing the members to buy and sell from one another. Perhaps it wasn't thouroughly understood, but the club should receive 10% commission on all sales, the same rate that prevails at the club auction. In view of future transactions, this should be recognized by all those who offer coins for sale.

Respectfully submitted,

Genin B. Judd.
Secretary.

Nov. 6, 1951

The 874th meeting of the R.N.A. was called to order Tues. Nov. 6th at 8:20 P.M. by Pres. Norman F. Prince. There were 23 members and 6 visitors present. Minutes of the preceding meeting read and approved as read. Accumulated correspondence read and disposed of. There were no bills.

Committee Reports.

Curator-F.B. Newell Mentioned the Swedish Plate money on display in the meeting room.

Treasurer-Wm. Elston Jr.-Stated that 53 members had paid their dues by the first meeting in Nov. deadline. At present there is \$258.66 in the treasury.

Hobby Council- No Report.

Sickness-John Sloane-Arnold Pittenger is doing fine and probably will be at the Annual Dinner. Mrs. Thayer has been in and out of the hospital. Lew Richards still confined to the hospital, his condition still a problem.

Old Business -- None.

New Business Charley Foster Reporting on the E.S.N.A. Conv.said that there were 64 people at the banquet, 4 or 5 dealers had bourses and that there was a very active auction. Charley thanked the club for the use of the display cases, and mentioned that there would be another Conv. in May.

At this time the Pres. acknowledged the visitors, and introduced Mrs. VandenBrul for the first time to the assembled members.

Noticing that there were more ladies present than usual, the Pres. expressed the wish that the ladies would come more often, and bring their husbands.

The sample menus of the Hotels Rochester and Powers for our annual Banquet which will be held Jan. 5th 1952, were read, and it was the wish of the members that before making any decision we contact the Hotel Seneca to see what they had to offer.

Exhibits.

George J. Bauer-10 Double Crowns of the Netherlands. 2 Fine large

medals of Amsterdam and Belgium.

Edmund J. Coxe-71 Quarters, 1892-1916-Very Good to Uncirculated.

John J. Pittman-U.S. 1847 O \$10 Gold. Cuba 1915 Gold Proof.

England- $\frac{1}{2}$ Sovereign of Edward VI, Triple Unite
1643 Charles I, (Oxford). 2 Guineas 1687 James II.

Arnim B. Judd-Silver Dollars of China, Yuan Shi Kai and Sun Yat Sen.

Edward A. Gilroy-Cromwell 1658, Crown and Half Crown by Thos. Simon,
originals. Holland-Ducat of 1849. Germany, Wilhelm
II, 20 Marks, 1912, Berlin Mint. South Africa, 1947
Proof Crown in original case.

Charles W. Foster- $\frac{1}{4}$ Dollar for Mauritius in Brilliant Proof. 1910
 $\frac{1}{2}$ Dollar with punched out head of Pres. McKinley
in high relief.

Norman F. Prince-1/12&1/24 Staters, Electrum of Lydia, 700-600 B.C.
Colchis-Base Silver coin 400 B.C. England-Eliz.
1562, 6 Pence. James I, 1603-Shilling. Oliver
Cromwell 1658, Shilling.

Herbert VandenBrul-Souvenir folder containing 22 postage stamps
and 3 coins from the Vatican. The front of the
folder contains a colored picture of Pius XII, and
the center section contains the 3 coins, and a
facsimile of the Holy Year Medal. Spain-5 peseta
piece of 1950, showing the bust of Franco. Italy-
2 Ten Lire pieces of 1950. The lettering is rev-
ersed on the coins. On one coin with the face up
the lettering is upright, on the other it is up-
side down.

There being no special program for the evening, the meeting
was opened to the floor for a description of any coins that had
been shown. Mr. Durand exhibited a series of Civil war script of
the period of 1861-62. These notes were local in origin being
from Jamestown, LeRoy and Sodus N. Y. Mr. Newell projected a set
of slides owned by Norman Prince. These slides were of England
and Canada, both coins and tokens. Floyd also showed a series of
slides of the recent Canadian Coins. Norman pointed out the
little oddities in die work on the coins and mentioned many little
items of historical interest. The program was brief and strictly
to the point and was well received by the assembled members. The
speaker was given a round of applause for his efforts as a pinch-
hitter. After a short recess the auction was held. John J. acted
as auctioneer, and the club received \$ in commission as a result
of his earnest efforts.

Respectfully Submitted,

Arnold B. Floyd Secy.

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8. Max Weisbuch	319 Crossman Ter.	" "	Mon-2047-Res. Ham-5575-Bus.
9. Barney Bloom	120 Rosalind St.,	" 19,	Gen-4990-W
10. Jack Cohen	105 Belmont St.,	" 20,	Mon-1900-M Res. Bak-1670-Bus.
11. W. A. Elston, Sr.	R. D. Pittsford, N. Y.		
12. E. F. Meinhart	235 Mt. Vernon Ave.	City 20,	Mon-5516-W
13. F. B. Newell	94 Monroe Pkwy.	" 18,	Hill-2754-J-Res. Gen- 4800-Bus.
14. Dr. F. L. Cady	250 Dartmouth St.,	" 7	Mon-0088
15. H. G. Aldridge	1290 University Ave.,	" 7	
16. Wm. M. Hutchinson	49 Rowley St.,	" 7	
17. C. W. Foster	850 East Lake Rd.,	Rushville, N. Y.	
18. V. W. Judson	213 Wimbledon Rd.,	City 17,	Glen-6856-J
19. A. J. Pittenger	57 Rialto St.,	" 21,	Lo-8161
20. F. E. Eichorn	166 Rosedale St.,	" 20,	Mon-7911-M-Res. Ham-6640-Bus.
21. S. C. Place	67 Southview Ter.,	" 20,	Mon-3827-R
22. H. W. Plumb	118 Charlton Rd.,	" 17,	Char-2635-R
23. W. A. Elston, Jr.	75 Willowbrook Rd.,	" 16,	
24. J. J. Pittman	4 Acton St.,	" 13,	Glen-3310-Bus.
25. L. D. Richards	1013 Penfield Rd.,	" 10,	Hill-2264-N
26. E. H. Potter	43 So. Washington St.,	" 8	
27. J. A. Kirby	2 Highland Park	Batavia, New York	
28. C. F. Starr	64 Oak Lane	City 10	Hill-1607-M
29. A. B. Judd	331 Plymouth Ave., So.	" 8	Lo-6345

30. Mrs. S. G. Thayer	710 Latta Road	City 12,	Char-1412-R
31. C. Bauer	47 Westchester Ave.,	" 9	Cul-0720-R
32. W. R. Shaver	469 Culver Pkwy.,	" 9	Cul-4445-M
33. K. E. VerDow	Avon, New York		
34. Mrs. H. F. Osterman	363 Lake Ave.,	" 6	
35. Mr. " " "	" "	" 6	
36. A. M. Dean	Caledonia, New York		
37. H. S. Thomas	1599 Highland Ave.,	City 18	Mon-2864-Res.
38. R. L. Genthner	563 Garson Ave.,	" 9	Bak-4122-Bus.
39. M. A. Powills	9645 So. Leavitt St.,	Chicago 43, Ill.	Cul-0445-W
40. N. F. Prince	31 Lux Street	City 21	Ham-5117
41. C. L. Armstrong	Caledonia, New York		
42. A. Palmer	Caledonia, New York		
43. C. Ricard	52 Gregory St.,	City 20	Mon-4054-J
44. F. Nevin	Penfield-Rochester Rd., Box 237, Penfield, N. Y.		
45. H. W. VandenBrul	50 Brentwood St.,	City 10	Lo-5625-Bus.
46. Dr. John M. MacMillan	44 Lincoln Ave.,	Pittsford, N. Y. Hill-1725	
47. J. A. Datz	140 Pontiac Dr.,	Office 17	Mon-3800
48. W. T. A. Durand	1066 Monroe Ave.,	" 20	Char-2551-W
49. H. R. Dutcher, Jr.	1295 Lake Ave.,	" 13	Glen-1055-W
50. John Harris	162 Melville St.,	" 9	Ham-8338-Bus.
51. E. J. Howard	43 Merriman St.,	" 7	Cul-1038-R
52. R. D. Laufer	98 Collingwood Dr.,	" 21	Mon-3237-W
53. E. J. Cox	199 Hedgegarth Dr.,	" 17	Glen-4558-R
54. Arthur A Lohwater	4223 Lake Ave.,	" 12	Char-2852-J
55. W. R. Moyes	54 Richmond St.,	" 7	Char-0106
56. Wm. Henry Peck	1349 Dewey Ave.,	" 13	Bak-7528
57. Frank J. Fantanza	625 Scio Street	" 5	Glen-1952-W
58. Edward A. Gilroy	Wayland, New York		Hem-4271
59. J. F. O'Brien	5 N. Goodman St.,	City 7	Mon-0560 (Hon.)

60. I.B.Bernstein	1430 Monroe Ave	City 18	Mon 3347-J
61. H.Sussman	2 Ave. A West	" 21	
62. Donald J. Kridel	365 Maplewood Dr.		G1 1335-M
3 James Wilder	177 East Parkway	" 17	G1 1213-R Junior
64. Robert M. Roecker,	383 East Main St.	" 4	Ba 9880
65. Robert F. Ferstead,	100 Magnolia St.	" 8	Ge 5663-W

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Nov. 20, 1951

The 875th meeting of the R.N.A. was called to order at 8:20 P.M. Tuesday Nov. 20th by Pres. Norman F. Prince. Minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved as read. Accumulated correspondence read and disposed of. There were no bills. There were 30 members and 7 visitors present.

Committee Reports.

Curator- F.B. Newell stated that a short article on Swedish plate money would soon be published in the Museum News.

Librarian- Doc. MacMillan, observed that the job of cataloging the books in the library is quite a task. Doc asked for better facilities to display the books, and also suggested that the copies of the Scrapbook and the Numismatist be bound, The Pres. authorized the Librarian to contact the Museum Officials in regard to a new bookcase.

The Treasurer Wm. A. Elston Jr. reported that there is \$284.23 in the treasury, and also mentioned that 22 members have not paid their dues to date.

Program- James McGowan announced that Charles Foster would be the speaker at the 1st Dec. meeting, the subject to be announced. The 2nd Dec. meeting would feature Floyd Newell speaking on "A Review of a Book on Numismatics."

Jr. Club- Jim O'Brien said that the Jr.'s are increasing their membership, and that they had a large turnout at their last meeting, but would like to see the senior members more often.

At this time the Pres. introduced the visitors and cordially invited them to visit us again.

Old Business- The Menus of the Powers, Rochester and Seneca were read and when a show of hands was asked for, the Seneca won the decision. Price of the Banquet is to be \$3.60. The Pres. warned that the price of the Banquet ticket would not cover

the cost of the Speaker or the Punch. Something new has been added, a Punch Committee. Val Judson was appointed Chairman, with John Pittman and Doc MacMillan as cohorts. Guess whwt's going to happen. John's punch is known from coast to coast, but don't sell Doc short, maybe he has some good formulaes too.

New Business- None.

Exhibits.

E. J. Coxe- Unc. set of cents from 1909 to 1950.

J. McGowan-Proof and mint sets of 1939 in holders

A.A.Kolb- Presidential Medal of Arnold Pittenger, 1951-in lead.

F.B.Newell-Books, Volumes I&II of "The Copper Coins of India."

G.J.Bauer-40 Copper Coins of India. 1 & 2 Bonks of Java.

C.W.Foster-10 Various American Rarities.

N.F.Prince-Complete collection of Buffalo Nickels V.F.to Uncir.

" " " Mercury Head Dimes V.F. to Uncir.

J.J.Pittman-1 & 2 Marks of Germany, 1950 & 1951. U.S. \$5.00 Gold

1814, Uncir. 15 different dates of U.S. \$2.50 Gold. 10
different dates of U.S. \$1.00 Gold Ex. Fine to Uncir.

H. Osterman- 1930 -5 Zlotych of Poland. Taler of Poland, Stanislaus
Augustus 1776-6 Grosszy.

At this time the Program Chairman introduced the speaker of the evening, Mr. John Pittman who spoke on "The Coins of the Native Indian States." Along with the many coins he displayed the speaker exhibited a large map of India, on which he traced the history of these Indian States from the time the British set up their mandate over India. At the completion of his program, Barney Bloom made a motion and it was seconded that the speaker be given a rising vote of thanks for his presentation of a very unusual phase of Numismatics.

After a short recess the auction was held with C. W. Foster acting as auctioneer. \$2.10 was the amt. received in commission as a result of Charley's efforts.

Respectfully submitted,
Arnold B. Add
Secretary.

Dec. 4, 1951

The 876th Meeting of the R. N. A. was called to order at 8:10 P.M. Dec. 4th ~~at~~ by Pres. Norman F. Prince. There were 43 members and visitors present. Minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved as read. Accumulated correspondence read and disposed of. Bills for the A.N.S. & Secretaries expense were voted to be paid.

Committee Reports

The Treasurer reported that there was at the present time \$296.83, in the Treasury.

Librarian-No report.

Junior Club-No report.

Sickness-John Sloane reported that Lew Richards is at home for some time, His condition not too good.

Coin Week-Howard Osterman reported that we had reserved the Cape Cod Room at the Seneca Hotel for Saturday, April 19th for our display relative to National Coin Week. He also passed out the Nat. Coin Week Awards certificates for last year.

Old Business-The Pres. announced that the tickets for the Banquet were ready for distribution. The Banquet is to be held Jan. 5th 1952. This is the 40th Anniversary Banquet of the R.N.A. and we sincerely hope that all Members will make a special effort to attend.

New Business-None.

At this time the Pres. welcomed the visitors-asked them to enjoy their stay, and expressed the wish that they would visit us again in the near future.

Exhibits

George J. Bauer: Mainz. Five Thaler of Anselmus of superb die work, high relief. Broad Crown of Dorothy of Quidlingburg. 1617. Double Crown of Westphalia. 1661. Krone of Christian IV, Norway 1619. Death Crown, Elizabeth Julia, 1704. Baptismal Crown, Christ and St. John.

incl.

John J. Pittman: U. S. A. 1 cent proof 1857-1909 ~~Max~~ 3 cent

Nickel proofs 1865-1889 inclusive. 2 cent proofs 1864-1873 incl.

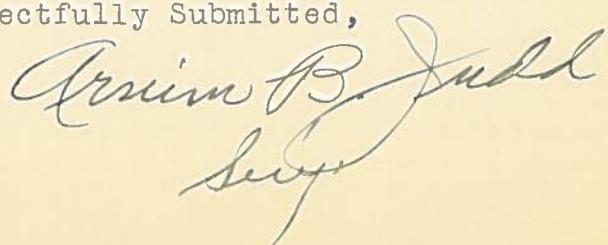
Vanden Brul: Monaco 1950, Rainier III Prince De Monaco-100, 50, 20, 10, Francs, Uncir. Louis II Prince De Monaco-2 & 1 Francs V.F. 100 Franc chip from the Casino at Monte Carlo.

E. A. Gilroy: England-Victoria L5, L2, Sovereign and Half Sovereign, Old Head. William IV, Pattern Crown of 1831.

C. W. Foster: Proof Notes of New York State Banks.

Program Chairman, James Mc Gowan, introduced the speaker of the evening, Mr. Charles W. Foster who spoke on "Paper Money." This was one of the most interesting talks in this particular series that this writer has had the privilege to enjoy. Charlies talk covered the early days of this Nations Paper Money when (Red Dogs), "Blue Dogs", Buckeyes, "Corn Crackers" were foremost as the medium of exchange. The speaker brought to light the difference between broken bank bills and obsolete bank notes. He also mentioned that proof notes were made of some of the New York State Banks. This program will long be remembered and it is our earnest hope that we may hear from Mr. Foster in the near future on some other phase of Paper Money. After a short recess Brother Pittman acting as auctioneer, disposed of the many lots offered for sale. \$ 3.60 was the amount received in commission as a result of the auctioneers efforts.

Respectfully Submitted,



Grinn B. Judd
Secy.

Dec. 18, 1951

The 877th meeting of the R.N.A. was called to order at 8:30 P.M. Tuesday, December 18th by Pres. Norman F. Prince. There were 18 Members and Visitors present. Four of this total ~~was~~ ^{WERE} visitors. This meeting was constitutional due to the fact that there were ten paid members in attendance. Minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved as read. Accumulated correspondence read and disposed of. There were no bills.

Committee Reports

Treasurer--No report

Junior Club--No report

Librarian--No report

Coin Week--No report

Sickness--John Sloane called on L. D. Richards-condition not improved but he is back home. Arnold Pittenger is expected to be at the banquet and probably will be released from the hospital in February.

New Business--The Pres. asked for the sum of \$20.00 to finance the minor expenses of the banquet. This money will be returned to the club when the ticket money is turned in. A motion was made by John Pittman and seconded, that this money be turned over to the Pres. Due to the fact, that there were no application blanks, the application of Mr. Robert Ferstead for membership in the R.N.A. was entered on a proxy blank. It seems that there should be more than one key to the library so that these blanks would be available at every meeting. It was decided that this issue would be taking up at the next regular meeting. Mr. Bauer mentioned the fact that we might be liable to pay taxes on coins sold at our auctions. After much comment pro and con it was decided that no action be taken at this time.

Old Business -- None

John J. Pittman substituting for Floyd Newell spoke shortly on "Gold Is Whar You Find It," and exhibited some recent acquisitions

that he had with him. The speaker was well thanked for his efforts, and due to the very severe weather the meeting adjourned early to allow the assembled members to shovel out their cars before starting home.

Respectfully Submitted,

Arnim B. Judd.
Arnim B. Judd, Secretary



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Jan. 15, 1952

The 878th meeting of the R.N.A. was called to order at 8:30 P. M. Tues. January 15th by President Norman F. Prince. There were 27 members and visitors present. Minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved as read. Accumulated correspondence read and disposed of. Bills were presented for the Secretary's expense \$7.25 - Museum facilities \$16.25 and also the bill of Alphonse Kolb for the Pittenger Medal-90 Medals-\$189.00. Mr. Judson made a motion and it was seconded that the bills be paid.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Treasurer: Announced that there was \$ 308.21 in the Treasury.

Librarian & Curator: Both were absent.

Hobby Council: No report.

National Coin Week: Plans are proceeding as per schedule.

Junior Club: Would like to have more Seniors come to their monthly meetings.

Sickness: Lew Richards condition is about the same and Mrs. Osterman is slowly improving.

Mr. John Kirby asked the President to accept his resignation from the R.N.A. After Mr. Kirby had left for home, the President read Mr. Kirby's resignation before the assembled members. A motion was made by Mr. Pittman and seconded that the resignation be not accepted.

New Business: The program chairman is finding it exceedingly difficult to obtain speakers to round out his program for the rest of the year. President Norman Prince made a plea in an effort to help the program chairman. He asked that the newer members get in the swim and give a talk. The older members have carried the load for a long time and its about time that we hear from some of the rest of the membership.

Messrs. Bauer and Pittman gave a short sketch on the formation and election of Officers of the Batavia Club. They meet on the second Monday of the Month at the American Legion Hall in Batavia. Mr. Bauer did the installation of the officers, and he was made a Charter Member of the Club, which is to be known as the 4 C Club.

The program for the evening was in the nature of a review by John Pittman of Wayte Raymonds new book "Coins of the World 1901 to 1950. The book sells for \$5.00 and should be a welcomed addition to every Numismatist library.

After a short recess, the auction was held and Brother Foster acting as auctioneer claimed \$3.80 as commission for the R.N.A.

Exhibits.

C. F. Starr Festival of Britain Crown 1951.

G. J. Bauer Plaque 1848, Rev. in Paris. Aviation Communication Medal, 1870. 1874 Medal to Pres. Thiers by the French citizens of Philadelphia.

C. W. Foster Copy of the Athens Deckadrachm 480 to 400 B.C.

A. B. Judd 1951 So. African Set, Uncir.

Respectfully Submitted,

Arvin B. Judd.

Secretary.

Feb. 5, 1952

The 879th meeting of the R.N.A. was called to order at 8 P.M. Tuesday, February 5th. There were 32 members and visitors present. Minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved as read. A bill for \$10.00 for membership in the Rochester Museum Ass'n was voted to be paid. Accumulated correspondence read and disposed of.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Hobby Council - John Pittman stated that pictures of a trip to Europe would be shown at the February 12th meeting.

Librarian - Dr. MacMillan hopes to get the Library arranged so that it will be an easy matter to facilitate the handling of books.

Membership Committee - Mr. Durand acting in the absence of the membership chairman read three applications for membership in the R.N.A. These applications of James Wilder, Robert F. Ferstead and Robert M. Roecker were voted on, and all three were unanimously elected. 14 votes were cast.

National Coin Week - Howard Osterman mentioned that Mr. Zaug had been contacted concerning the Exhibition Room at the Hotel Seneca for National Coin Week. It is the general aim of the Coin Week Committee to specialize in Coins and Currency of the Colonies in as much as this is the 300th Tercentenary of money in the U. S. President Norman F. Prince observed that we should have pictures taken of the displays this time as it may enhance our chances of winning first prize in National competition.

Old Business - None

New Business - None

At this time the President acknowledged and welcomed the visitors, told them to come more often, that their interests in Numismatics might be cultivated.

EXHIBITS

Norman F. Prince: Switzerland 20 Franc - 1900 Unc. Gold

Russia 5 Rouble 1897 V.F. Gold Czar Nicholas. France 10 Francs Napoleon III V.F. Gold.

C. W. Foster: 1802 Reversr of 1800 - Half Cent. Set of Fractional Denomination Notes of Fairfield Loan Co. Fairfield, Conn. 20 Shilling Note of the Virginia James River Bank 1775. Selected Obsolete Bank Notes showing various types of engraving 1859-1861.

Wm. Hutchinson: The Hobby Magazine section of the Democrat & Chronicle, December 14th, 1941 showing Officers of the R.N.A. celebrating their 29th year, including the History of the club.

J. J. Pittman: 1802 - Half Dime Ex. Fine. 1803 proof, restrike Silver Dollar. 1839 - Proof Pattern Half Dollar. 11 piece commerative gold Uncir. Canada - 1911 Sovereign Unc.

After a short recess the auction was held, John Pittman, the auctioneer, sold the various lots for better or worse and the club realized the sum of \$3.25 as commission.

Led by President Norman F. Prince, and singing "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" the assembled members bid Au Revoir to George J. Bauer, the senior member of the Rochester Club who was to sail at an early date for the Stamping Ground of the Ancients. A large cake magnificently decorated was served with ice cream. After many hand shakes and the hearty good wishes of the members, Mr. Bauer stated that as usual he will be on the look out for anything of Numismatic interest on his trip. He sincerely hopes that his trip will be a profitable one.

Respectfully Submitted,

Arnold B. Judd

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Feb. 19, 1952

The 880th meeting of the R.N.A. was called to order Tuesday, February 19th at 8:15 P. M. by President Norman F. Prince. There were 29 members and visitors present. Minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved as read. Accumulated correspondence read and disposed of. There were no bills.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Librarian - None

Sickness - Arnold Pittenger coming along slowly. Mrs. Osterman well on the road to recovery and probably will attend our next meeting. John Sloan said he was unable to get in touch with Lew Richards at this time.

Treasurer - Stated that there is \$130.76 in the bank.

Membership - No new applications. The application of Mr. Rudolph Figler for membership in the R.N.A. was read the second time and will be voted on at the next regular meeting.

Hobby Council - Regarding the invitation of the Hobby Council to the R.N.A. to participate in a Hobby Show to be held sometime next Fall, it was the unanimous decision of the assembled members that we follow the motion made by Charles W. Foster and seconded by Mr. Dutcher that when plans are in a concrete state and we know definitely that they are going ahead with the show, we will cooperate with them.

The President mentioned that anyone who had not received the Pittenger Medal could have same by applying to the Secretary or Treasurer.

Old Business - None

New Business - None

At this time the President welcomed and acknowledged the visitors, hoped their visit would be profitable to them and to us, expressed the wish that they would come again.

Exhibits:

John Harris: Collection of Large Cents 1793 to 1875 except 1799.

John J. Pittman: Canada Gold \$10.00 - 1913, \$5.00 Gold 1912,-13 Ex. Fine. Switzerland-20 Francs 1947 Uncir. Czechoslovakia-1 ducat 1931 Uncir. U. S. Dime 1916 D Uncir.

C. W. Foster: 1813 Birmingham Sixpence. 1861 Confederate Cent in Copper. Bryan Aluminium piece 1900-United Snakes of America. Zerbe 59.

Alphonse Kolb: Exhibit of 10 Washington Medals.

Norman F. Prince: Aegina Stater - 650 B.C. Turtle Coin with incused square on reverse. Oak Tree Shilling - 1652. Pine Tree Shilling - 1652. 1/12th Stater, Electrum, Lydia -700 B.C. 1/24th Stater, Electrum, Lydia -700 B.C.

C. F. Starr: 1799 Cent-Very good, 1856 Flying Eagle Cent-Very Fine, 1873 2 Cent - Proof only, 1877 3 cent Nickel - Proof only, 1864 3 Cent Silver - Proof only, 1873 3 Cent Silver - Proof.

W. A. Elston, Jr: 1802 Half Dollar - V.G. Proof Sets of 1936, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 50, 51.

Howard Osterman: 20 Zlotych Gold - 1925 - Boleslaw Chrobry, 10 Zlotych Silver - Pilsudski 1934, Polish Crown 1650 - Joan Casimir, Polish Crown 1638 - Vladislaus IV, Polish Crown 1766 - Stanislaus Augustus.

In lieu of the regularly planned program, the members were treated to what was called Rare Coin Night. Some of the members brought in their rare and seldom seen coins and John Pittman and Charles

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Foster spoke shortly on Why Is A Coin Rare and What Makes It Rare? Opinions differed, but all those present got something out of this substitute for our regular program. After a short recess, John Pittman conducted the auction in which the club realized the sum of \$2.65 as commission.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ervin B. Judd,
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Mar. 4, 1952

The 881st meeting of the R.N.A. was called to order at 8:15 P.M. Tues. March 4th by Pres. Norman F. Prince. There were 24 members and visitors present. Minutes of the preceding meeting read and approved as read. Accumulated correspondence read and disposed of. Bills for subscriptions to the Scrapbook and A.N.A. Dues were voted to be paid. The motion was made by Charles W. Foster and seconded by John Pittman. Action taken on the letter of O. B. Windau - motion was made by Charles W. Foster and seconded by Mr. Howard Osterman that we decline his offer of coins to be put in our auctions.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Sickness - John W. Sloan reporting. Lew Richards had another xray taken.

Bill Hutchinson and Alphonse Kolb ill at home with colds.

Commenting on the illness of Lew Richards President Norman F. Prince remarked that Lew is disposing of his surplus coin stock via the advertising route in the local want ads. After many weeks of illness and costly hospital bills, Mr. Richards finds himself in the unenviable position of being short of funds. There are some members of the club at present who are in debt to Mr. Richards for coins or other transactions in the way of trades or exchanges and Lew could use this money to very good advantage at the present time. Why not get on the sunny side of the fence?

Membership - Mr. W. T. Durand acting in the absence of Charlie Starr read the application of Mr. G. C. Haines for membership in the R.N.A for the first time. The application of Mr. Rudolf Figler was read the third time, and was voted on. 18 votes in all were cast, and he was unanimously elected to membership. Congratulations.

Old Business - Charles W. Foster read a letter dated February 23rd, which he received from George Bauer. George is having a

Old Business - real trip for himself, according to several of the incidents he mentioned.

New Business - Jim O'Brien stated that the next regular meeting of the Junior Club being held March 21st will be Parent's Nite. He cordially invited the members of our club to attend and asked their support. Let's give the boys a real turn-out. Refreshments will be served.

It was announced that the program for the evening on March 18th would be given by John J. Pittman. The subject "Coins of Ireland". If you look close maybe you'll see a banshee or two and if you are real lucky maybe you'll see a leprechaun running around the floor.

EXHIBITS

Norman F. Prince: Netherlands - 1931 - $2\frac{1}{2}$ Gulden - Wilhelmina Ex. F. 1940 - $2\frac{1}{2}$ Gulden - Wilhelmina Ex. F. 1897 - 1 Guilder Wilhelmina - Young Head. Russia - 1754 - Crown-Elizabeth, Large Bust, Fine. Roman - Julia Donna - Wife of Septimus Severus - 193-211 A. D. Second Bronze. Roman - Second Bronze - Diva Faustina, wife of Antonius Pius - 105-141 A. D. Roman - Denarius - Faustina Junior wife of Marcus Aurelius.

S. Clark Place: 1809 half cent V. Fine. 1907 Quarter Eagle Very Fine to Uncirculated. 1904 Half Eagle Very Fine to Uncirculated.

Charles W. Foster: Martha Washington on Silver Certificate 1886. Martha Washington on Small Copper Medal with George Washington on Rev.

John J. Pittman: Great Britain - Silver Crowns of Elizabeth, William & Mary, Anne and Victoria. Ex. Fine. Russia - Elizabeth - Silver Rouble, Two different - Ex. Fine. U.S.A - 1792 - Half Disme - Unc.

The program for the evening was in the nature of - "Ladies Nite". Exhibitors were asked to bring coins bearing portraits of women. As each member described his coins he pointed out some pertinent facts concerning the portrait thereon. Many odd and interesting facts were

brought to light, and the assembled members voted each exhibitor a good hand at the termination of his discussion. A fifteen minute recess was declared by the President, after which the auction was held. The sum of \$1.75 was realized in commission at the completion of the auction. In tribute to these glorious gals of History, and to the Ladies that attended this meeting, ice cream was served in the way of refreshments, generously donated by our President.

Respectfully Submitted

Arvin B. Fadd

Secretary

Mar. 18, 1952

The 882nd meeting of the R.N.A. was called to order at 8:15 P.M. Tuesday, March 18th by Pres. Norman F. Prince. There were 40 members and visitors present. Minutes of the preceding meeting read and approved as read. Accumulated correspondence read and disposed of. There were no bills.

Committee Reports.

Treasurer. At present time, there is \$125.38 in treasury.

Sickness- Bill Hutchinson confined to Park Ave. Hospital, condition not too good. Arnold Pittenger is back to work, on a half day basis. It is also rumored that Lew Richards is working half days.

Membership- The application of Mr. G.C. Haines in the R.N.A. will be ^{for membership} voted on at the next regular meeting.

Jr. Club- Jim O'Brien announced that Friday the 21st would be Parent's Nite, and cordially invited all the seniors to attend. As a special attraction Jim announced that refreshments would be served.

Program- Jim McGowan stated that the programs for the next two meetings would be as follows: April 1st, the program- "Mercury Dimes." the speaker, James McGowan. " 15th, " " " "Coins of Royal Arch Masonry," the speaker, Norman F. Prince.

Coin Week. Howard Osterman asked for permission to buy from Bill Elston 12 of Yeoman's Coin Handbooks to be sold during National Coin Week. John Pittman made a motion, and it was seconded that this request be granted.

New Business- the President announced that the Museum has ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ ~~XXXX~~ offered us the use of a large bay in which we can make a large display during National Coin Week. Charles Foster made a motion and it was seconded, that we accept the Museum's offer, and the Pres. announced at a later date that Ed Meinhart had been appointed to make the display.

Old Business- None

At this time the President welcomed and acknowledged the visitors and asked them to visit us again whenever they were so inclined. Outstanding among the visitors was Mr. R. K. Harris of Detroit. He brought with him for exhibition purposes 25 Pattern Nickels. These Patterns are the real "Blue Bloods" of the Nickel series. He also had a Pine Tree Shilling and Large Cents of 1793, 1799, 1804 and 1807 over 6 in extra fine to uncirculated condition. Charlie Foster, in commenting on Mr. Harris' display stated that exhibits are the educational backbone of our program and the visitors exhibit was one of Blue Ribbon quality.

EXHIBITS

John J. Pittman: Australia - 1951 Commem. Florin, Unc. German East Africa - 1893-2 Rupees, Unc. $\frac{1}{4}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, and 1 Rupee 1891, Unc. 1890 1Pice, Unc. Ireland - 1100 to date 50 Irish Coins V.F. to Unc. 1928 Irish Proof Set in case of issue.

Howard Osterman: 10 Zlotych - 1925 Poland, Gold.

Charles W. Foster: Dyes counterfeit Detector 1850. Universal Bank Note Gazetteer.

Edward A. Gilroy: English Cartwheel Coins 1797 - 2d, 1d, $\frac{1}{2}$ d, and $\frac{1}{4}$ d. Sets in Gilt proof, silver proof, copper proof and Unc.

The program chairman James McGowan introduced the speaker of the evening Mr. John O' Pittman of questionable Irish ancestry who spoke on the "Coins of Ireland". T'was a fine broth of a talk that Johnny gave and when he finally sat down we all asked him to rise again so that we could give him a big hand. T'was a real informative talk on the Coins of the Emerald Isle. After a short recess, the auction was held and the club realized \$3.35 in commission.

Respectfully Submitted,

Atum B. Dudd. Secy.

Apr. 1, 1952

The 883rd meeting of the Rochester Numismatic Association was called to order at 8:05 P. M. Tuesday, April 1st by President Norman F. Prince. There were 30 members and visitors present. Minutes of the preceding meeting read and approved as read. Accumulated correspondence read and disposed of.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Hobby Council: John Pittman reported that the next program would be on "Old Cars".

Sickness: John Sloan Stated that Lew Richards is working half days. Bill Hutchinson is confined to the County Hospital.

Treasurer: William Elston, Jr. reported that there is \$125.00 in the Treasury.

Curator: Floyd Newell mentioned that there is a short descriptive treatise on Swedish Plate Money in the case along with the exhibit.

Nat'l Coin Week: Howard Osterman notified the officers of the club and the Coin Week Committee that there would be a meeting Monday, April 7th at the home of Norman F. Prince relative to National Coin Week.

Visitors were acknowledged and asked to visit us again.

Old Business: The President asked for the support of the exhibit at the Seneca Hotel on Saturday, April 19th. If you do not exhibit, please put in an appearance and let the town know that you are an active Numismatist. Norman also commented on his visit to the Junior Clubs Meeting on Parents Nite. They are an up and coming Club, and have a real live wire organization. Mr. W. Durand praised the talk on Tobacco given by John Pittman at a recent meeting of the Museum Association.

New Business: None

Exhibits:

E. J. Cox: Complete Set of Morgan Barber Half Dollars and Dimes.

Exhibits:

Norman F. Prince: Complete set of Jefferson Nickels all Br. Unc. Complete Set of Mercury Dimes, Fine to Unc.

C. F. Starr: Set of Mercury Dimes. Isabella Quarter - 1893.

W. T. A. Durand: Check dated April 1, 1948 returned for correct signature. An April Fool Joke that backfired.

J. I. McGowan: Complete set of Mercury Dimes, 1916 - 1945 good to Uncir.

Barney Bloom: Collection of Not-Geld issued in Germany, in large album.

John J. Pittman: Complete set of Uncirculated Mercury Dimes including 1942 over 41. U. S. 1928 Unc. Double Eagle. Great Britain 1887 - 5 pounds Ex. F. U.S.A. 1952 Carver Washington P. D. S. Half dollars, Unc.

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XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX "Mercury Dimes" was the subject selected by Mr. James McGowan as the program for the evening. Jim had several charts made which compared the rise in price of these small silver pieces. Some advanced in price to a greater degree while some of the comparative rarities remained dormant. He was ably assisted at the projector by John Pittman, who showed slides showing the different locations of the mint marks, etc., Jim was given a rising vote of thanks at the completion of his program.

After a ten minute recess, the auction was held and the club received a \$1.55 in commission.

Respectfully Submitted

Arvin B. Judd.

RVA Curator's Report

April 1 1952

A copy of "Museum Service" which has an article on Seashell Plate Money has been added to the display in one of the cases.

The other case will show the materials from which money has been made. Labels are being made by Mr. Frantz. It will show coins of gold, silver, copper, etc., and money of other materials such as paper, cloth, leather, beads, shells, etc.

J. B. Newell

Apr. 15, 1952

The 884th meeting of the R.N.A. was called to order at 8:15 P. M. April 15th by President Norman F. Prince. There were 41 Members and Visitors present. Minutes of the preceding meeting read and approved as read. Accumulated correspondence read and disposed of. A bill for 50¢ for Sympathy Cards was presented by the Secretary. This bill was voted to be paid.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Sickness: Lew Richards still working half days.

Hobby Council: Films of Old Cars was shown at their last meeting. The subject was a very interesting one and was well done.

National Coin Week: Please support the exhibit at the Hotel Seneca. Exhibitors please have exhibits ready at 10 A.M. There has been much publicity, 2 local and 16 community Newspapers. 6 Radio Stations and a Television program is in the making. A motion was made by Norman F. Prince that Charlie Foster be permitted to take the pictures of the exhibit at the Hotel, and that the expense incurred in taking, together with the expense of developing and printing be assumed by the Club. This motion was seconded by Barney Bloom.

The President told the Librarian that Frank Eichorn returned a large bundle of books and they could be catalogued and put in our book-case.

Junior Club: Jim O'Brien thanked Howard Osterman for his co-operation with the Junior Club relative to National Coin Week. He also stated that the Juniors had arranged a good program for their April 18th meeting and cordially invited the Seniors to attend.

At this time the President had the Secretary read Section III of Article VI of the Club's Constitution, relative to the appointment of the Nominating Committee. He stated that Alphonse Kolb as Chairman and Charles Foster and John Sloane would complete that Committee

for the year.

Old Business: None

New Business: None

Charles W. Foster announced that E.S.N.A. would hold a convention the 17th and 18th of May at the Hotel Syracuse in Syracuse, New York. A good program has been arranged, some excellent auction material has been offered and he urged everybody who could possibly attend to do so. He also stated that there would be a large exhibit of Paper Money in Canandaigua on the second Sunday in May.

Applications for Membership of John B. Highmoor and Herbert F. Chapin will be voted on at the next regular meeting.

Visitors were acknowledged and cordially invited to come again and get acquainted.

EXHIBITS

Norman F. Prince: 26 Mark Master Pennies of Royal Arch Masonry from Chapters in United States and Canada.

Charles W. Foster: Large 62 oz. Bar of Silver from the San Francisco Mint.

Barney Bloom: Collection of Masonic Chapter pennies and Medals pertaining to Masonry.

John J. Pittman: Complete set of U. S. Comm. Half Dollars, Unc. Tunis, 1950 - 20 Francs. Algeria, 1950 - 100 Francs.

S. C. Place: Canada, Unc. dollars 1950-51.

George J. Bauer: 23 Gold Coins including $\frac{1}{4}$ Stater of Alexander & 1/8 Stater of Ptolemy I. 28 Greek Silver Tetradrachms and smaller. ~~Bronzes~~ 16 Bronzes including a Triple Roman Aes of semi-liberal series.

Robert M. Roecker: Unc. Current Mexican Set of 5 Peso pieces. 1948, 49, 50 and 51. Gen. Morelos 1950 - 1 Peso, also 50, 25, 20, 5 and 1 Centavo pieces.

John Pittman introduced the speaker of the evening Mr. Norman F. Prince who chose as his subject "Coins of Royal Arch Masonry." The speaker first explained the complete Masonic structure and the relation of the various degrees to the Royal Arch. He explained that the tokens under discussion had no exchange value; that they were entirely of Symbolic status. Slides were shown of tokens of Royal Arch Chapters from various parts of the United States and Canada. The talk was one of general interest rather than from a Fraternal stand-point. At the completion of his discussion Alphonse Kolb made a motion, and Barney Bloom seconded, that the President be given a rising vote of thanks.

After a ten minute recess, the usual auction was held, Charlie Foster acting as auctioneer sold the various lots to the highest bidders. Club realized \$3.35 in commission.

Respectfully Submitted,

*Arnold B. Judd
Secretary.*

May 6, 1952

The 885th meeting of the R.N.A. was called to order May 6th at 8:10 P. M. by President Norman F. Prince. There were 34 members and 14 visitors present. Minutes of the preceding meeting read and approved as read. Accumulated correspondence read and disposed of. There were no bills.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Librarian - Absent

Treasurer - Stated that there is approximately \$112.00 in the Treasury.

Sickness - Bill Hutchinson still confined to the hospital. Condition not too good. Lew Richards is again working full time.

Hobby Council - There will be a Hobby Show at the Museum - October 19 to 26th. Although plans are still incomplete, it is quite possible that the Numismatists will have approximately 5 cases on the first floor.

Coin Week - Brought many surprises. The Chairman thanked Charlie Foster for the pictures he took of the display and also the appraisal Committee for their work. Thanks were also extended to Eddie Cox for his donation of a \$1.25, to those ^{who} exhibited, and also the committee that served. It was noted that if Nat'l Coin Week is to be observed in the future, more display cases will be needed. Mr. Bauer made a motion and it was seconded that Howard Osterman be given a vote of thanks for his efforts.

Old Business - The President read the section of the Constitution pertaining to the Nominating Committee. The Nominating Committee consisting of Alphonse Kolb as Chairman, Charles Foster and John Sloane as assistants, read the slate of Officers for the year 1952-53. For President-Arnim B. Judd, Vice President-Lewis D. Richards, Secretary-Howard F. Osterman, Treasurer-William A. Elston Jr., Librarian-Dr. John M. MacMillan and Curator-Floyd B. Newell.

The President appointed Clark Place as Chairman, Frank Niven and Herbert Vanden Brul as Auditors of the Clubs assets for the current year.

The applications for membership in the R.N.A. of John Highmoor and Herbert Chapin were voted on at this meeting. 26 votes were cast all in the affirmative. Congratulations.

New Business - Charlie Foster invited all to attend the E.S.N.A Convention in Syracuse May 17th and 18th. He stated there is some good auction material and it looks like a real active Numismatic get-together. Valance Judson nominated J. J. Pittman to be a candidate to the Board of Governors of the A.N.A. at the coming election in Aug. 1952.

President announced that those who hadn't received the Pittenger Medal could do so by contacting the Secretary. Mrs. Thayer again invited the Club to hold their annual picnic at her home when the Committee makes the proper decision as to the time.

EXHIBITS

John Sloane - Complete set of Large Cents except the 1799.

Arnim B. Judd - 1951 South African Proof Set.

Dr. Francis L. Cady - U. S. Half Cents, 1793 - 1857 Complete Set.
Book - Civil War Tokens and Tradesman's Store Cards.

John J. Pittman - Great Britain 1826 - 5 pound gold proof, 1841 U. S. \$10.00 Gold Ex. Fine. 1859 U. S. \$20.00 gold proof, 1859 U. S. \$5.00 gold proof, 1951 Syria Gold pound and half pound, 1904 Serbia 5 dinars, 1776 Bolivia 8 Reales.

At this time the President introduced the visitors and asked them to visit us again. He hoped that they would find something of interest in our program and might eventually become active Numismatists.

A ten minute recess was held, after which George J. Bauer spoke of his recent trip around the Mediterranean. He visited twenty ports and thirty cities and had as a record of his trip a number of beautiful kodachrome slides. These slides showed many of the Ancient Ruins of Greece and Rome. George advised traveling on Norwegian Ships-they serve smorgasbord twice daily. At the completion of his talk, the speaker was given a rising vote of thanks for a very interesting evening.

The Coins offered in our auction at this meeting, were those purchased during National Coin Week by the Appraisal Committee. John Pittman acting as auctioneer sold the majority of these coins to the assembled members and the club received the sum of \$33.00. I believe that \$19.25 was the amount paid for these coins.

Respectfully Submitted

*Arnold B. Fudd
Secretary.*

May 20, 1952

The 886th meeting of the R.N.A. was called to order May 20th at 8:20 P. M. by President Norman F. Prince. There were 33 members and visitors present. Minutes of the preceding meeting read and approved as read. Accumulated correspondence read and disposed of. There were no bills.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Sickness: John Sloane reported Arnold Pittenger working half days, Lew Richards strained his back and is back home. Condition not too good. Ray Laufer confined to General Hospital.

Librarian: Nothing to report on our bookcase problem.

Curator: Display of Masonic Medals in the case in the meeting room.

National Coin Week: Report of our activities sent in to Nat'l Headquarters, as yet, we have received no answer.

Hobby Council: No report.

Junior Club: Meeting to be held third Friday of the month - June 20th, Election of Officers.

Old Business: None

New Business: Quotations are asked on application blanks, Charles Foster to contact Canandaigua Printer. Rochester Printer quotes \$10.00 for 500 blanks. George Bauer suggested that a bourse case be opened for members to sell duplicates. Mr. Bauer was informed that this action was taken at the Executive Committee meeting held August 24th 1951. The fact that this was not established as a regular meeting procedure was due to the failure of the committee to appoint a bourse tabulator.

Membership: The applications of Anthony Rutalis and Wilfred Uderitz were read for the first time by Charles F. Starr. Norman F. Prince commented on the Buffalo Dinner and the E.S.N.A. Convention.

Officers for 1952-53

President - - A. B. Judd
Vice-President - - L. D. Richards ^{W. Ellston}
Secretary - - H. F. Osterman
Treasurer - - W. A. Ellston, Jr. ^{J. D. McRae}
Librarian - - Dr. J. M. MacMillan
Curator - - F. B. Newell

Report of Nominating Committee
Chairman - C. Foster, Jr. Sloane

May 21, 1952

Dear Mr. Newell,

The following are the members of the Rochester Numismatic Association who paid their 1950-51 dues.

~~and~~ A. H. Plum Honorary
C. J. Lever Honorary
C. F. Clarke
B. M. Mehl
A. A. Kolb
Lr. Parker Honorary
F. E. Peake
J. W. Sleene
G. E. Moore Honorary
I. B. Bernstein Honorary
A. D. Donley
M. Weisbuck
B. Lioeke
J. Cohen
W. A. Elston Sr.
E. F. Meinhart
J. Greendyke
F. B. Newell
Dr. F. L. Cady
H. G. Aldridge
W. F. Hutchinson
G. W. Foster
V. W. Judson
A. J. Pittinger
F. E. Lichorn
S. O. Place
H. W. Plumb
W. A. Elston Jr.
J. J. Pittman
L. B. Cartwright
L. D. Richards
E. H. Potter
J. W. Kirby
H. Sussman
C. F. Starr
A. B. Judd
J. I. McGowan
Mrs. Thayer
C. Bauer
W. R. Shaver
F. Ver Dow
G. D. Soper
Mrs. Osterman
H. F. Osterman
A. M. Leon
H. S. Thomas
R. L. Gentner
M. A. Powells
N. F. Prince

C. L. Armstrong
F. J. O'Brien
R. Palmer
F. Nevin
L. Salem
H. Vandentrich
L. Sortino
Dr. J. McMillan
L. P. Zicari
J. Datz
Mr. Koppler
W. Durand
Mrs. Barnes
Miss Somers
H. Dutcher
Mr. Harris
E. Howard
Mrs. Loomis
F. Laufer
R. Rice
G. Hammond
E. Cox
A. Lohwater
M. Moyes
H. Peck

C. Ricard -- Junior Members
H. Hallman
T. Detro
J. E. Buggie

These last four Junior Members paid \$1.00 dues. As far as I was able to ascertain, all of the others paid the full \$3.50.

Sincerely yours,

Bill Elston Jr.

II May 20th

Although the Buffalo Dinner was well attended, by 18 members, from Rochester, only 9 members attended the Convention in Syracuse. Something is wrong, either the publicity department of the convention failed to sell the idea to Rochester or the Rochester group is not interested in anything outside Rochester. Why did 18 members go to Buffalo and only 9 go to Syracuse?

EXHIBITS

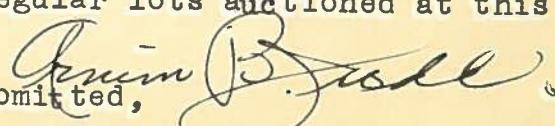
George J. Bauer: 15 Tetradrachms of Aradus, 137 - 46, B.C.
dated in Phoenetian letters.

Henry Dutcher, Jr.: 15 Commemorative Coins of Swiss Schutzenfest.

John J. Pittman: Newfoundland, \$2.00 gold - 1888. Russia, 10 roubles - 1899. 5 roubles - 1897 - Ex. F. Albania, 1927 - 20 Frankis Gold Unc. Mexico, 50 Peso - 1923, 1945. U.S.A. \$20.00 Gold. 1850, 1895, 96, 98. *Mr. Bauer & Mr. Dutcher made donations \$1.75 toward the purchase of coins.*

~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ Norman Prince introduced the speakers of the evening, Michael Judd and James O'Brien, two members of the Junior Club. Master O'Brien talked on the Large Cent varieties while Master Judd spoke on "A Cent is a Cent - Not a Penny." The boy's talks were short and to the point, and were received by the assembled members. Norman Prince in commenting on the boy's efforts at the completion of their program, stated "that the future of Numismatics is in good hands, if you are typical of the Juniors of our great Nation." After a ten minute recess, the auction was held. John Pittman acting as auctioneer, swindled the assembled members and visitors out of \$10.80, on the coins purchased during National Coin Week. Plus the \$33.00 received at our previous meeting, this brings the total to \$43.80, less \$19.25 we paid for the coins gives us a grand total of \$24.55 profit. We also received \$1.90 commission on the regular lots auctioned at this meeting.

Respectfully Submitted,



of the R.N.A. June 3, 1952

The 887th meeting was called to order at 8:15 P.M. Tuesday Jun. 3rd by Pres. Norman F. Prince. There were 41 members and visitors Present. Minutes of the preceding meeting read and approved as corrected. There was no correspondence and no bills.

Committee Reports.

Membership- Applications for membership in the R.N.A. were of J.R.Vay and Wilfred Uderitz were read before the assembled members. The application of Anthony Rutalis was voted on at this time, and resulted in a unanimous vote of approval. 31 votes in all were cast. Congratulations Mr. Rutalis.

Curator No Report

Librarian "

Sickness- John Sloane reported that Ray Laufer is still in the hospital, Bill Hutchinson's condition has not improved, and Lew Richards is back home and the doctors will not allow him to go back to work. Mother Nature caught up with Clark Place, he lost four front teeth, Ed Gilroy has been ill, and John Kirby is confined to St. Jeromes hospital in Batavia. Our roster looks like a casualty report from a lost week-end. Coin Week. No report from Nat'l Hqtrs.

Old Business- Geo. Bauer inquired as to the reason that our Bourse case had not been set up. Preparations are being made for a bourse case to be established at the first meeting in September.

Geo. also made a motion that we accept Mrs. Thayer's invitation, and hold our annual picnic at her home on Latta Rd., the 26th of July.

New Business- None.

At this time the Pres. read the names of the visitors, and all were recognised by the usual clap of hands. "Visit us again", said the Pres. Maybe you will become a Numismaniac too! Charley Ricard, home on leave from the Army visited us, said he has 8 months still to go. P.S. Numismatics is still his first love.

Concerning the election of Officers for the coming year, our Pres.

stated that he had been in contact with Lew Richards, and Lew felt that due to the present state of his health, he would be unable to fulfill the duties of his office as V. P. efficiently, and asked that his name be removed from the ballot. The New lineup of officers is as follows-

For President	Arnim B. Judd
" Vice "	William A. Elston Jr.
" Secretary	Howard F. Osterman
" Treasurer	James I. McGowan
" Curator	Floyd B. Newell
" Librarian	Dr. John M. MacMillan

John Pittman made a motion that the slate be accepted as presented, and that the secretary cast one vote in the affirmative. This motion was seconded by Eddie Cox, and the secretary did as instructed.

Exhibits.

James McGowan- A bag of Cowrie Shells. U.S. $\$2\frac{1}{2}$ Gold, 1912&1914 D Uncir.
 George Bauer 19 Staters and their Sub Divisions of Aegina, 620 to 300B.C.
 John Pittman Denmark, 1951 Proof Set. France, 1690- $\frac{1}{2}$ Ecu Ex. Fine. 1716
 1 Ecu, Unc. U.S. Gold \$20. 1928 Unc, & \$5. 1900 S Unc. U.S. L792 Half
 Disme, Unc. 1794, Half dime, Unc. Half Dimes of 1802 & 1805, Unc.
 a very fine specimen of the 1802
 Herbert VandenBrul 10 Coins of Native Indian States and Pakistan, both
 19th and 20th Century.

The Program of the evening was composed of a panel of John Pittman as Moderator, Arnold Pittenger, Howard Osterman, Eddie Cox and H.S. Thomas. These gentlemen made up the answer board of the open Forum. A half hour's barrage of various questions were hurled at the group, and several times they found themselves stymied and had to resort to the sidelines for information. At the end of the question period, the boys were given a glad hand for their efforts on the club's behalf. The Pres. declared a 10 minutes recess, after which the auction was held; Charley Foster acting as auctioneer sold the various lots, and the Club realized the sum of \$4.85 as commission.

Respectfully submitted,

Arnim B. Judd, Secy.

June 17, 1952

The 888th meeting of the R.N.A. was called to order at 8:10 P.M. Tuesday Jun. 17th by President Norman F. Prince. There were 23 members and 4 visitors present. Minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved as read. There were no bills or correspondence.

Committee Reports

Sickness-A card was sent to John Kirby at Batavia, John Sloane reports Ray Laufer back home but very tired. Lew Richards is back working half days. Bill Hutchinson is still confined to the hospital. He hopes to be home soon.

Curator- no report

Librarian- ".

Treasurer- ".

Committee reports were asked for at the first meeting in September.

Membership-Application for membership in the R.N.A. of J.R. Vay was read for the second time, to the assembled members. The application W. C. Uderitz was read for the third time and voted upon, and resulted in a unanimous vote of approval. 21 votes were cast. Mr. Uderitz was congratulated.

Junior Club- The last meeting to be held June 20th for instalation of officers. The senior members were asked to attend.

Old business- none.

New business: Floyd Newell made a motion that the medal for the outgoing president be started and a new reverse die to be made. The motion seconded and was voted in the affirmative. Alphonse Kolb was asked to carry out the clubs order.

The retiring president then gave an address to the assembled members. He stated that the 4 years spent as an official of the R.N.A. were both profitable and educational as well as the best spent in any organization. Mr. Prince spoke very highly of the capable men he had to assist him. He complimented and thanked Arnim B. Judd for the work he did as secret-

ary. F.B. Newell, Alphonse Kolb and Howard Osterman were given a special word of appreciation. John Sloane was thanked for his services as the sick committee. Norman stated that he enjoyed working with all of you and extended sincere thanks to all of you for your assistance, a real happy memory. After a short recess George J. Bauer took over the program in the capacity of Installation Officer. He introduced the officers for the coming year. Mr. Bauer told of the duties of the various officers and complimented them on the fine job they did for the past year, as officials of the R.N.A. Congratulations Mr. Bauer on a fine job.

The slate of officers for the coming year is as follows:

For President- Arnim B. Judd

" Vice " - Wm. Elston Jr.

" Secretary - Howard F. Osterman

" Treasurer - James I. McGowan

" Librarian - Dr. John M. MacMillan

" Curator - Floyd B. Newell

The new president introduced the visitors and asked them to visit again. Arnim then outlined his program for the coming year. It was stated that a bourse would be part of the program for the new year. It was reported that Edward Meinhart's exhibit on the second floor would remain until September. Bill Elston had charge of the arrangements for the annual picnic. He was assisted by Edward Meinhart. Barney Bloom had charge of the white elephant sale. Dr. Francis L. Cady was named chairman of the nominating committee.

Exhibits:

James I. McGowan- Catalogues of Stack's sales of June 27th and 28th.

George Bauer-3 silver coins of Augustus Caesar. sometimes called Cistofore, fine portrait coins.

There being no program for the evening, the auction was then held with

Charles Foster acting as auctioneer. The sum of \$4.20 was realized and this was turned over to James McGowan the new treasurer.

respectfully submitted

Howard F. Osterman
secretary

Report of the Librarian for 1950-1951

During the past year a total of 47 books were loaned to members. Copies of the Humanist and Scrap book seemed to be most in demand. Three members at different times during the year availed themselves of the copies of the Journal of Humanism. Mr. Yewell and Mr. Foster both loaned books from their libraries to members who were preparing programs. Several volumes were donated to the Library by members during the past year. A record of these donations will be found in the minutes of the regular meetings.

Respectfully submitted

J. Eicham

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR 1951-52

June 17, 1952

Balance June 30, 1951 \$101.56

INCOME:

Dues and applications	\$284.50
Auctions	119.87
Miscellaneous	30.00
	<u>\$434.37</u>
	434.37
	<u>535.93</u>

Expenses;

Secretary	\$ 38.43
Subscriptions, dues, rent, etc.	63.50
A. Holb (Medals)	189.00
Miscellaneous	<u>66.92</u>
	\$357.84
	\$357.84

Balance on hand 178.09
\$535.93

Respectfully submitted,
William A. Elston Jr.
William A. Elston Jr.

D.K. audit committee Alphonse Koll
Herbert W. Audenbrul
John W. Sloane

A NEW MEDAL, A NEW DESIGN

Medallic sculpture by Alphonse A. Kolb, Rochester Artist, for the Rochester Numismatic Association

The obverse shows the portrait of Norman F. Prince, 40th president of the Rochester Numismatic Association with the inscription, "NORMAN F. PRINCE XL PRESIDENT 1952".

The reverse design is a medallic representation of the R. N. A. seal. This consists of a shield containing a Greek coin, showing the bust of Athena, surrounded by branches of flowers, and the inscription, "ORGANIZED JANUARY 4th 1912". The Owl of Athens sits on the shield flanked by a heraldic scroll design. The outer inscription reads, "ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION * BRANCH 2 OF A. N. A." (American Numismatic Association).

The annual banquet of the R. N. A. was held last night (January 3) at the Hotel Seneca where this medal was presented to Norman F. Prince, past president. The medals struck in silver and bronze at Bastian Bros. Co. will be distributed to the other members at a later date.

The following members are entitled to the Norman F. Prince Presidential Medal

G. J. Bauer <i>GB</i>	E. H. Potter <i>EP</i>	John Harris <i>JH</i>
C. F. Clarke	J. A. Kirby	E. J. Howard <i>X</i>
B. Max Mehl	H. Sussman <i>X</i>	R. D. Laufer <i>RL</i>
A. A. Kolb <i>Alphonse</i>	C. F. Starr <i>X</i>	R. G. Rice
Dr. A. C. Parker	A. B. Judd <i>ABJ</i>	C. F. Hammond <i>CFH</i>
F. E. Peake <i>X</i>	J. I. McGowan <i>JIM</i>	H. W. Hallman
J. W. Sloane <i>JS</i>	Mrs. S. G. Thayer <i>X</i>	Thomas Detro
C. E. Moore <i>X</i>	C. Bauer <i>CB</i>	Edmund J. Cox <i>EJC</i>
I. B. Bernstein	W. R. Shaver	Arthur A. Lohwater <i>Sloman</i>
A. D. Donley <i>X</i>	E. J. Verdow <i>EVD</i>	W. R. Moyes <i>WRM</i>
Max Weisbuch <i>X</i>	Mrs. H. F. Osterman <i>S.O.</i>	Wm Henry Peck <i>WHP</i>
Barney Bloom <i>Sloane</i>	H. F. Osterman <i>HO</i>	Frank J. Fantanza
J. Cohen <i>Johen</i>	A. M. Dean <i>AMD</i>	Edward A. Gilroy <i>EG</i>
W. A. Elston Sr. <i>WE</i>	H. S. Thomas <i>HST</i>	Donald J. Kridel <i>DK</i>
E. F. Meinhart <i>EFM</i>	R. L. Gentner <i>RLG</i>	Robert W. Rucker <i>RWR</i>
J. Greendyke	M. A. Powills <i>mailed</i>	Robert F. Ferstead <i>RFF</i>
F. B. Newell <i>X</i>	N. F. Prince <i>NFP</i>	Rudolph Figler <i>R.F.</i>
Dr. F. L. Cady <i>FLC</i>	C. L. Armstrong <i>X</i>	G. C. Haines Jr. <i>X</i>
H. G. Aldridge	F. J. O'Brien	John B. Highmoor <i>JBH</i>
W. M. Hutchinson <i>WMC</i>	A. Palmer <i>X</i>	Herbert F. Chapin <i>HFC</i>
C. W. Foster <i>CWF</i>	C. Ricard <i>X</i>	Anthony Rutalis <i>X</i>
V. W. Judson <i>VWJ</i>	F. Nevin	<i>numerous others</i>
A. J. Pittenger <i>ajp</i>	H. W. VandenBrul <i>X</i>	<i>ANS</i>
F. E. Eichorn <i>X</i>	Dr. John M. MacMillan <i>JMM</i>	
S. C. Place <i>X</i>	L. P. Zicari <i>X</i>	
H. W. Plumb <i>HP</i>	J. A. Batz <i>MAP</i>	
W. A. Elston Jr. <i>WE</i>	W. T. A. Durand <i>WAD</i>	
J. J. Pittman <i>WE</i>	Mrs. Jane Barnes <i>X</i>	
L. B. Cartwright <i>LC</i>	Miss Marie J. Sommer <i>X</i>	
L. D. Richards <i>MDR</i>	H. R. Dutcher Jr. <i>X</i>	

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR YR 1952-53

INCOME:

Membership dues - 1951-52	(1)	3.50
1952-53	(78)	268.00
1953-54	(18)	63.00
Commission from Auctions	(8)	30.11
Commission from Bourses	(9)	47.08
"White Elephant" sale at picnic		27.00
Cash donations (G. Bauer - \$2.00 & J. Sloane - .40)		2.40
Sale of catalogues		4.10
Sale of "Handbooks"		3.80
Sale of coins purchased during "Coin Week"		20.60
Sale of 1841 silver dollar		4.05
		<u>473.64</u>
		<u>\$651.73</u>

TOTAL INCOME
Bal. from 52

EXPENSES:

Organization Dues - A.N.A.

A.N.S.

Rochester Museum Ass'n

Subscription to "Scrapbook" magazine

Rent to Rochester Museum

Rent to Power Hotel (Coin Week display room)

Duplicator machine

Duplicator supplies

Stapling machine

Secretary supplies

Banquet "punch"

Banquet entertainment

Picnic expenses

Application blanks

Flowers

Sale of 1841 Silver dollar

Coin Week purchase of coins

"Operation X" expenses (Life Membership presentation-A. Kolb)

Banquet name cards

Sympathy cards

R.N.A. Presidential medals

215.00

\$522.07

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5.00	5.00
7.50	7.50
10.00	10.00
3.00	3.00
40.00	40.00
15.00	15.00
78.30	78.30
7.86	7.86
7.75	7.75
40.85	40.85
30.00	30.00
6.00	6.00
6.25	6.25
20.80	20.80
4.05	4.05
8.00	8.00
11.12	11.12
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Approved by
Robert Morris
Howard J. Stroh
Robert W. Stroh

BALANCE AT END OF 1952-53 YEAR
PROJECTOR ACCOUNT

129.66
3.00
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Secretary's Report, Rochester Numismatic Association, Rochester, N.Y.

From June 19, 1951 to June 17, 1952, Inclusive.

Number of Meetings held 21

Attendance:

Members-	527
Visitors-	<u>117</u>
Total	644

Banquet attendance 75

Total for Banquet and Meetings 719

Publicity:

Radio Announcements- 2 Stations	42
Newspaper " (Inc. Miss Raymond)	<u>57</u>
	99 Items

Reports to Numismatist 12
(Incl. Special Items)

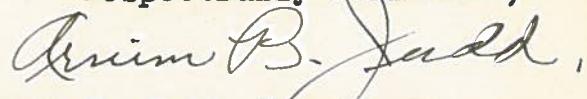
Reports to Scrapbook 3

Notices to Mr. Reagan, A.N.A. Sec'y 2

Post Card Notices sent to Members 930

This total does not include the attendance for National Coin Week,
for which, a separate report has been made.

Respectfully submitted,



Arnim B. Judd, Secretary.

1951-52 ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION TREASURER'S
REPORT (continued)

INCOME:

Dues and applications:

1950-51 dues	\$ 3.50
1951-52 dues	231.00
1952-53 dues	10.50
1951-52 applications	36.00
1952-53 applications	<u>3.50</u>
	\$284.50
	\$284.50

Auctions:

Regular meetings	\$ 50.77
Annual picnic	24.25
Roch.-Buffalo meeting	1.05
Coins purchased at National Coin Week - Hotel Seneca	43.80
	\$119.87
	\$119.87

Miscellaneous:

Return of Annual Banquet	
Advance	\$ 20.00
Overpayment of H. G. Aldridge	
dues	.25
Profit on Annual Banquet	3.00
2 Whitman Handbooks @ \$1.00	2.00
1 Whitman Handbook @ \$1.00	1.00
5 Whitman Handbooks @ \$.75	<u>3.75</u>
	\$ 30.00
	\$ 30.00
	\$434.37

1951-52 ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION TREASURER'S
REPORT (continued)

EXPENSES:

Secretary:

Stationery, Stamps, Cards, etc.	\$ 38.43	\$ 38.43
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Subscriptions, dues, rent, etc.

Rochester Museum	\$ 38.00	
American Numismatic Soc.	7.50	
Rochester Museum Ass'n	10.00	
Numismatic Scrapbook	3.00	
A. N. A. dues	5.00	
	\$ 63.50	\$ 63.50

A. Kolb (Medals):

90 Pittenger Medals	\$189.00	\$189.00
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Miscellaneous:

Overpayment of H. G.		
Aldridge's dues	\$.25	
Refreshments for G.		
Bauer's party	2.88	
Annual Picnic	4.25	
Coins purchased for the Club collection	2.75	
Advance for Annual Banquet	20.00	
NATIONAL COIN WEEK		
Coins purchased	18.75	
Postage	1.20	
12 Whitman Handbooks	7.80	
Pictures	4.04	
Rent-Cape Cod Room	5.00	
	\$ 66.92	\$ 66.92
		\$357.84

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR 1951-52

June 17, 1952

Balance June 30, 1951 \$101.56

INCOME:

Dues and applications	\$284.50
Auctions	119.87
Miscellaneous	<u>30.00</u>
	\$434.37
	<u>434.37</u>
	\$535.93

Expenses:

Secretary	\$ 38.42
Subscriptions, dues, rent, etc.	63.50
A. Kolb (Medals)	189.00
Miscellaneous	<u>66.92</u>
	\$357.84
Balance on hand	<u>178.09</u>
	\$535.93

Respectfully submitted,

William A. Elston Jr.

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udit Committee Alphonse Kolb
Robert W. Anderson
John W. Sloane.*